

RESOLUTION 25-22

A RESOLUTION OF THE ALEUTIANS EAST BOROUGH SUPPORTING AN ALASKAN BUILD AMERICA, BUY AMERICA ACT WAIVER

WHEREAS, the Build America, Buy America Act (BABA) is designed to reinvest in American manufacturing, create jobs, and strengthen the domestic supply chain; and

WHEREAS, for states with limited manufacturing capacity, BABA is effectively a policy that transfers wealth and jobs to other parts of the country; and


WHEREAS, in Alaska, the BABA mandates are driving up costs, causing delays, and threatening critical infrastructure projects; and

WHEREAS, the Borough supports and Alaskan BABA waiver that would apply when BABA requirements do not delay projects of significantly increase costs; and

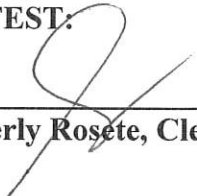
WHEREAS, the waiver should be granted when the policy jeopardizes the integrity and success of projects that are critical to improving the living conditions and economic future of Alaska.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the Aleutians East Borough Assembly is in support of an Alaskan Build America, Buy America Act Waiver.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Aleutians East Borough on this 14th day of November 2024.



Alvin D. Osterback, Mayor

ATTEST:


Beverly Rosete, Clerk